

# NEXT WEEK IS THE BIG EVENT

**Over Six Hundred People Are Coming to Anderson**

## WEDNESDAY IS OPENING DAY

**World's Greatest Workers Are Coming Here for the Great State Sunday School Association**

Many Anderson people have failed to grasp any clear conception of the enormous proportions of the thirty-seventh annual Sunday school convention, which convenes here next week, and of what it means to Anderson. The mere fact that 600 or possibly 700 people will be brought together in one cause and with a common understanding is within itself a most remarkable fact. Another fact that local people should take cognizance of is that some of the brainiest people in the United States will be among the visitors to the city for the event. The program is splendid, the music will equal anything ever attempted in this State; the speakers secured for the occasion have no superiors, and the practical addresses on the method of securing most effective work must prove to be highly interesting as well as instructive.

Some of the more prominent of the visitors to the city for the convention are: J. Shreve Durham, visitation superintendent of the National Sunday School Association; Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, elementary superintendent of the National Association; Dr. L. N. Caley, editor of the American Church Magazine; Dr. William J. Williamson, pastor of the Third Baptist Church of St. Louis; D. W. Sims, general secretary of the Georgia Sunday School Association; John C. Carman, general secretary of the Colorado State Association, and Prof. Harold C. Lowden, Philadelphia, Pa., director of music.

Sunday school workers throughout the State feel that the association is to be congratulated upon securing Prof. Lowden. He is one of the most famous musicians in the United States and stands in recognition the claim of 200 selected voices with render music that will prove to be incomparably better than any of the kind ever heard in this State before.

There are so many noteworthy features to take place in connection with the association that it is most difficult to give the newspaper reader anything but a vague idea of what it means for a town to entertain such a convention.

It had been hoped that by this time the complete list of delegates who will come from the various towns of the State would be available, but this is still in the hands of Miss Grace W. Vandiver at Spartanburg, the secretary of the association. Miss Vandiver will probably finish with the list and forward the same to Anderson early next week. Some of the best-known people in the State will be found in this list as delegates from the various churches and this convention will bring to Anderson a host of well-known church workers.

The following is the complete official program:

**Wednesday Morning**  
10 A. M.—Song service, led by Harold C. Lowden, Philadelphia, Pa.  
10:30 A. M.—Opening prayer.

10:45 A. M.—Address of welcome, Portia A. Whaley, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

10:50 A. M.—Address of welcome in behalf of the Ministerial Union, Dr. J. F. Vines.

11 A. M.—Response.

11:10 A. M.—"Our Task," the Rev. E. Herter, president State association, Sumter.

11:30 A. M.—Milestone Thirty-seven, the Rev. W. H. Pendleton, chairman executive committee, Spartanburg.

11:45 A. M.—A Tale in Figures, S. T. Reid, treasurer State association, Spartanburg.

12:15 P. M.—Worship in song.  
12:30 P. M.—"Hail! Hail! With the Word," Dr. William J. Williamson, pastor Third Baptist church, St. Louis, Mo.

12:45 P. M.—How to Get the Most Out of This Convention, J. Shreve Durham, visitation superintendent, International Association, Chicago.

2:30 P. M.—Announcements and announcement of committees.

**Wednesday Afternoon**  
1:15 P. M.—Song service, led by Mr. Lovden.

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2:30 P. M.—Address, John C. Carman, general secretary of the Colorado Sunday School Association, Denver, Colo.

2:45 P. M.—Address, Dr. William J. Williamson, St. Louis.

**Thursday Morning**  
9:30 A. M.—Song service, led by Mr. Lovden.

10:15 A. M.—"Oracle Roll Possibilities and Plans," Mrs. Samuel N. Morris, elementary superintendent, Spartanburg.

10:30 A. M.—Graded instruction in

the elementary division, Mrs. Bryner.

11 A. M.—"The Challenge of the Adolescence," Prof. J. W. Thompson, Winthrop college, Rock Hill.

11:30 A. M.—"Half Hour with the Word," Dr. William J. Williamson.

12:15 P. M.—"Teaching Men and Women," J. Shreve Durham.

12:45 P. M.—"The Home Department," C. Conradi.

1 P. M.—"Teaching those we know," John C. Carman, Denver, Colo.

**Thursday Afternoon**

Conferences 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock.

Home visitation and home department, First Baptist church.

Teacher training, First Presbyterian church.

Missions, Central Presbyterian church.

Elementary, St. John's Methodist church.

**Thursday Evening**

5:15 P. M.—Song service, led by Mr. Lovden.

5:30 "First, the Blade," Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, elementary superintendent, Chicago.

6:25 P. M.—"How to Help the Teachers Reach the People," J. Shreve Durham.

**Friday Morning**

9:30 A. M.—Song service, led by Mr. Lovden.

10 A. M.—Prayer.

10:10 A. M.—"Machinery and Power," John C. Carman.

10:45 A. M.—"How to Teach the People on the Outside," J. Shreve Durham.

11:30 A. M.—"Half Hour with the Word," Dr. William J. Williamson.

12 M.—Music.

12:15 P. M.—Recognition of counties.

**Friday Afternoon**

Denominational conferences.

Baptist conference, First Baptist church.

Methodist conference, St. John's church.

Presbyterian conference, Central Presbyterian church.

Episcopal conference, Episcopal church.

Christian church conference, Sunday school room St. John's Methodist church.

A. M. Conference, Sunday school rooms of convention church.

Lutheran conference—First Presbyterian church.

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7:15 P. M.—Song service, led by Mr. Lovden.

7:30 P. M.—Prayer.

7:45 P. M.—"Address," Dr. William J. Williamson.

8:30 P. M.—"Closing Words," J. Shreve Durham, Chicago.

**COURT IN ABBEVILLE.**

**Grand and Petit Juries Drawn For This Term.**

Abbeville, Feb. 6.—The February term of the court of general sessions will convene on Monday, February 23. Judge Bowman will preside. The following is a list of grand and petit jurors by townships:

**Grand Jurors.**

Diamond Hill Township—Eugene McCarter.

Long Cane Township—N. P. Milford, Brown Bowie, J. R. Lomax.

Abbeville Township—G. A. McCarty, W. L. Power, J. C. King.

Lowndesville Township—Geo. S. Lewis, A. M. Bonds.

Denals Township—J. P. Smith, J. Winn.

The West Township—G. V. Brown, A. D. Kennedy.

Borden Township—G. P. Watkins.

Cedar Springs Township—S. M. Wardlaw.

Calhoun Mills Township—W. D. Merritt, P. B. Morris.

Magnolia Township—H. W. Lawton.

Petty Juries.

Diamond Hill Township—J. L. Flanigan, W. H. Simpson, W. H. Mann.

Long Cane Township—R. W. Smith, Charlie Schirine, T. J. Ables, W. H. Beauford, G. N. Cochran, J. H. Greene.

Calhoun Mills Township—T. W. Mars, H. S. Cason.

Abbeville Township—W. C. Hughes.

M. E. Link, J. R. Thornton, John Yeargin, O. M. Gilliam.

Cedar Springs Township—W. F. Langley, F. T. Young, R. G. McRae.

Lowndesville Township—S. W. Johnson, W. R. Bone, V. C. Parnell, J. R. Gray.

Borden Township—J. T. Walker, J. C. Gray.

Magnolia Township—J. W. Faulker.

One West Township—A. Milton Ellis, J. O. Hamer, J. C. Clapp.

Smithville Township—A. H. Miller.

**MUSIC FUND RAISED.**

Atlanta, Feb. 6.—Almost without soliciting, the Georgia Fe-deral Association has within three days raised several thousand dollars more than the \$5,000 guarantee necessary to secure the coming of Metropolitan Grand Opera.

Methodist church.

Second annual conference, Central Presbyterian church.

Taylorsville church office, Sunday school room First Baptist church.

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## POULTRY RAISING IN THIS COUNTY

People of Anderson County Are Awakening to Tremendous Profit in this Industry

## WHAT TO DO WITH CORN INSECT PEST

Stalk Borer Abounds in Anderson County, According to Expert Who Came Here

Owing to the fact that the expert who visited Anderson county last week said that the corn stalk borer is found on every hand in this county and that practically no field is free from the pest, the statements coming from Clemson College relative to the best way in which to get rid of the insect will be read with interest here.

In discussing the troubles of the Anderson county corn raisers, Prof. A. F. Conradi, of Clemson College said:

"Of the two kinds of borers frequently found in corn, the larger stalk borer is the more common and important. This is the whitish grub that may be found in the stubble below the ground in any corn field in South Carolina during the winter.

"A few days ago a farmer asked the writer whether this new insect is a new corporation. It is not; it is one of our oldest bugs. It does no damage every year in one section or the other. It has had the attention of entomologists for years. It was long believed that the sugarcane borer and this were the same; but it appears from the work of Mr. Barber of the Bureau of Entomology that they are different—the cane borer now being known as *Diatraea saccharalis*, and corn borer as *D. cecropia*.

"As early as 1880 the annual report of the Department of Agriculture for that year, Prof. Conradi gave a full account of this corn pest. Speaking of control measures he says: 'A most satisfactory remedy for the corn borer can probably be derived from the fact that it hibernates in the stalk and tubule in the larval state.' He then continued to recommend methods for the disposal of older and destruction of stalks and stubble.

"In August, 1895, Dr. Howard wrote circular No. 16 of the Bureau of Entomology to this subject. He gave a full history describing two generations and estimated the damage during abundant seasons at 25 to 50 per cent. He called attention to cultural methods and crop rotation, and said: 'Where stalks are allowed to remain in the field all winter, it naturally follows that corn following will be badly damaged.'

"In 1910, Mr. George Ainslie, then working at Clemson College, worked over its history and habits and wrote a large circular recommending the destruction of corn stalks as the sovereign remedy.

"It is clear, then, that we are dealing with an old pest. But the important question before us is one of operations necessary to effect the recommendations repeatedly made. The subject has been discussed at farmers' meetings, and considerable progress has been made through the efforts of demonstration agents, who are continuing to work.

"Co-operation in the community is most important. Stubble may be plowed under if carefully done. If corn is harvested late, it interferes with the cover crops; so every effort should be made to harvest the corn early. Our practice has been to break out the stalks, root and all, raise them into heaps, and burn them when dry.

This seems very satisfactory for thorough destruction, and produces good results, especially when farmers of the community get together. The best results have been obtained in sections of the state where the best best results have been obtained in practiced. It is in such sections that the effect of this pest is felt least.

"The amateur, the breeding of Brown Leghorns is a puzzle. The standard of perfection requires the male to be a rich cherry red from head to tail, with black (or neck) feathers striped with a distinct black stripe running down each feather; the requirements for back and saddle feathers to be striped the same as hackle. The exhibition female must have a rich golden neck striped in black with hackle and wing a light, soft, even color, and breast of salmon.

"It is impossible to produce high quality exhibition specimens of both male ad female from one or a single mating; consequently this has given rise to what is known to the fancier as double mating. The fancier will take a rich cherry red male and his mate will mate the females which are very much too dark for standard color of female; so dark that in fact some one has "dubbed" them "Crown Leghorns." The male produced from this mating should be of that rich cherry red color like the sire at the head of the pen; female produced from this mating should be very light like the males in rest; this mating should never be continued in competition with the rich cherry red males.

"Exhibition pullets are produced from what is known to the fancier as the light or pullet line mating made up as follows: Select males with rich golden necks striped with black (or neck) feathers, just sort their even brown color with salmon pink and saddle feathers like same color wings and a faint rich brown breast and molt like the sires above with stripes of brown in breast and wing. This mating should never be continued in competition with the rich cherry red males.

"The cockerel or dark line should never be crossed with the pullet or light line, as color would be unsatisfactory. I would suggest that where a few Brown Leghorns are wanted for a small flock of even brown color that older birds should be used for the cockerel line mating. I have found the dark cockerel line pullets even better layers than the light or pullet line pullets; they seem to mature earlier.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

There will be an election at Hammond School House for the Hammond School District No. 2, Saturday, February 1st, 1914, on the question of levying a special tax of six mills on all of the taxable property of said district, to be used for General school purposes